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### TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

May 10, 2017

The Honorable Dan Patrick Lieutenant Governor of Texas Capitol Station PO Box 12068 Austin, Texas 78711

Re: Responsibility of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) Pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59(d), Texas Constitution

Senate Bill (SB) 2273, as Filed by Senator Donna Campbell - Relating to the creation of the Kendall County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4; granting a limited power of eminent domain; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose assessments, fees, and taxes.

#### Dear Governor Patrick:

The following comments are provided pursuant to the Constitutional requirements referenced above. Under those requirements, the TCEQ must submit, to the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives, the TCEQ's recommendations on specific legislation affecting water districts. We recommend that these comments be considered in the evaluation of the proposed legislation.

Sincerely,

Cari-Michel LaCaille, Director

Water Supply Division

cc: Honorable Eddie Lucio, Jr., Chairman, Senate Intergovernmental Relations Committee Senator Donna Campbell, Texas Senate

Enclosure

### SB 2273, as Filed by Senator Donna Campbell Texas Commission on Environmental Quality's Comments

The Legislative Budget Board, in cooperation with the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), has determined that:

This bill amends the Special District Local Laws Code by adding Chapter 9074 which creates the Kendall County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4 (District) with the powers and duties of a standard water control and improvement district under Water Code Chapters 49 and 51.

**Comments on Powers/Duties Different from Similar Types of Districts:** This bill grants the District authority for road projects; the bill allows the District to divide and specifies requirements for division. The District may be divided only if the District has no outstanding bonded debt and is not imposing ad valorem taxes. The bill further specifies that on or before the 30<sup>th</sup> day after the date of adoption of an order dividing the District, the District shall file the order with the TCEQ; the bill limits the District's use of eminent domain. The District may not exercise the power of eminent domain outside the District's boundaries to acquire a site or easement for a recreational facility or a road project; the bill specifies that at the time of issuance, the total principal amount of bonds or other obligations issued or incurred to finance road projects and payable from ad valorem taxes may not exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of real property in the District; if the bill does not receive a two-thirds vote of all members elected to each house, the District may not exercise the power of eminent domain; and, House Bill 4323 by Rep. Biedermann is the companion to this proposed bill.

**Overlapping Services**: TCEQ does not have mapping information for water and/or wastewater providers because this function was transferred from the TCEQ to the Public Utility Commission on September 1, 2014. As a result, TCEQ is unaware of possible overlapping service providers.

**TCEQ's Supervision**: As with general law districts, the TCEQ will have general supervisory authority, including bond review authority and review of financial reports.

## LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL TEXAS SENATE STATE OF TEXAS

# STATE OF TEXAS SB 2273

Bill Number

TO: The Honorable Governor of Texas

SUBJECT: A Bill Relating to a Conservation and Reclamation District

This is to transmit to you and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality copies of a bill relating to a conservation and reclamation district and copies of the notice of intention to introduce the bill. One copy is for your files and one for you to forward to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, under Section 59(d), Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas.

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Date transmitted to	Secretary of the Senate
Governor's Office	

TO: Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

SUBJECT: A Bill Relating to a Conservation and Reclamation District

This is to forward to you a copy of a bill relating to conservation and reclamation district and a copy of the notice of intention to introduce the bill.

April 13, 2017

Date transmitted to

Governor

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

TO:

The Honorable Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Governor of Texas

The Honorable President of the Senate

SUBJECT: A Bill Relating to a Conservation and Reclamation District

Attached are recommendations of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality in compliance with Section 59(d), Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas.

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

By: Campbell

### S.B. No. 2273

1	AN ACT	
2	relating to the creation of the Kendall County Water Control and	
3	Improvement District No. 4; granting a limited power of eminent	
4	domain; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to	
5	impose assessments, fees, and taxes.	
6	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:	
7	SECTION 1. Subtitle I, Title 6, Special District Local Laws	
8	Code, is amended by adding Chapter 9074 to read as follows:	
9	CHAPTER 9074. KENDALL COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT	
10	DISTRICT NO. 4	
11	SUBCHAPTER A. GENERAL PROVISIONS	
12	Sec. 9074.001. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter:	
13	(1) "Board" means the district's board of directors.	
14	(2) "Commission" means the Texas Commission on	
15	15 Environmental Quality.	
16	(3) "Director" means a board member.	
17	(4) "District" means the Kendall County Water Control	
18	and Improvement District No. 4.	
19	Sec. 9074.002. NATURE OF DISTRICT. The district is a water	
20	control and improvement district created under Section 59, Article	
21	XVI, Texas Constitution.	
22	Sec. 9074.003. CONFIRMATION AND DIRECTORS' ELECTION	
23	REQUIRED. The temporary directors shall hold an election to	
24	confirm the creation of the district and to elect five permanent	

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 directors as provided by Section 49.102, Water Code.
- 2 Sec. 9074.004. CONSENT OF MUNICIPALITY REQUIRED. The
- 3 temporary directors may not hold an election under Section 9074.003
- 4 until each municipality in whose corporate limits or
- 5 extraterritorial jurisdiction the district is located has
- 6 consented by ordinance or resolution to the creation of the
- 7 district and to the inclusion of land in the district.
- 8 Sec. 9074.005. FINDINGS OF PUBLIC PURPOSE AND BENEFIT. (a)
- 9 The district is created to serve a public purpose and benefit.
- 10 (b) The district is created to accomplish the purposes of:
- 11 (1) a water control and improvement district as
- 12 provided by general law and Section 59, Article XVI, Texas
- 13 Constitution; and
- 14 (2) Section 52, Article III, Texas Constitution, that
- 15 relate to the construction, acquisition, improvement, operation,
- 16 or maintenance of macadamized, graveled, or paved roads, or
- improvements, including storm drainage, in aid of those roads.
- 18 Sec. 9074.006. INITIAL DISTRICT TERRITORY. (a) The
- 19 district is initially composed of the territory described by
- 20 Section 2 of the Act enacting this chapter.
- 21 (b) The boundaries and field notes contained in Section 2 of
- 22 the Act enacting this chapter form a closure. A mistake made in the
- 23 field notes or in copying the field notes in the legislative process
- 24 does not affect the district's:
- 25 (1) organization, existence, or validity;
- 26 (2) right to issue any type of bond for the purposes
- 27 for which the district is created or to pay the principal of and

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1 interest on a bond;
               (3) right to impose a tax; or
               (4) legality or operation.
                    SUBCHAPTER B. BOARD OF DIRECTORS
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          Sec. 9074.051. GOVERNING BODY; TERMS. (a) The district is
 6 governed by a board of five elected directors.
          (b) Except as provided by Section 9074.052, directors serve
 7
 8 staggered four-year terms.
          Sec. 9074.052. TEMPORARY DIRECTORS. (a) The temporary
10 board consists of:
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              (1) Stacy Keller-Lassiter;
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              (2) Doug Knell;
              (3) Max Simpson;
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               (4) Victor Cummings; and
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               (5) Kenneth Myers.
         (b) Temporary directors serve until the earlier of:
               (1) the date permanent directors are elected under
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18 Section 9074.003; or
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              (2) the fourth anniversary of the effective date of
20 the Act enacting this chapter.
         (c) If permanent directors have not been elected under
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22 Section 9074.003 and the terms of the temporary directors have
23 expired, successor temporary directors shall be appointed or
24 reappointed as provided by Subsection (d) to serve terms that
25 <u>expire on the earlier of:</u>
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              (1) the date permanent directors are elected under
27 <u>Section 9074.003; or</u>
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1 (2) the fourth anniversary of the date of the appointment or reappointment. (d) If Subsection (c) applies, the owner or owners of a 3 majority of the assessed value of the real property in the district may submit a petition to the commission requesting that the commission appoint as successor temporary directors the five persons named in the petition. The commission shall appoint as successor temporary directors the five persons named in the petition. 10 SUBCHAPTER C. POWERS AND DUTIES Sec. 9074.101. GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES. The district has 11  $\underline{\mbox{the powers}}$  and duties necessary to accomplish the purposes for 12 which the district is created. Sec. 9074.102. WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT 14 15 POWERS AND DUTIES. The district has the powers and duties provided by the general law of this state, including Chapters 49 and 51, 16 17 Water Code, applicable to water control and improvement districts 18 created under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution. 19 Sec. 9074.103. AUTHORITY FOR ROAD PROJECTS. Under Section 20 52, Article III, Texas Constitution, the district may design, acquire, construct, finance, issue bonds for, improve, operate, 21 maintain, and convey to this state, a county, or a municipality for

subdivision requirements, and regulations of each municipality in

operation and maintenance macadamized, graveled, or paved roads, or

Sec. 9074.104. ROAD STANDARDS AND REQUIREMENTS. (a) A road

improvements, including storm drainage, in aid of those roads.

26 project must meet all applicable construction standards, zoning and

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1 whose corporate limits or extraterritorial jurisdiction the road
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- 2 project is located.
- 3 (b) If a road project is not located in the corporate limits
- 4 or extraterritorial jurisdiction of a municipality, the road
- 5 project must meet all applicable construction standards, zoning and
- 6 subdivision requirements, and regulations of each county in which
- 7 the road project is located.
- 8 (c) If the state will maintain and operate the road, the
- 9 Texas Transportation Commission must approve the plans and
- 10 specifications of the road project.
- 11 Sec. 9074.105. COMPLIANCE WITH MUNICIPAL CONSENT ORDINANCE
- 12 OR RESOLUTION. The district shall comply with all applicable
- 13 requirements of any ordinance or resolution that is adopted under
- 14 Section 42.042 or 42.0425, Local Government Code, and consents to
- 15 the creation of the district or to the inclusion of land in the
- 16 <u>district</u>.
- Sec. 9074.106. DIVISION OF DISTRICT. (a) The district may
- 18 be divided into two or more new districts only if the district:
- 19 <u>(1) has no outstanding bonded debt; and</u>
- 20 (2) is not imposing ad valorem taxes.
- 21 (b) This chapter applies to any new district created by the
- 22 division of the district, and a new district has all the powers and
- 23 <u>duties of the district.</u>
- 24 (c) Any new district created by the division of the district
- 25 may not, at the time the new district is created, contain any land
- 26 outside the area described by Section 2 of the Act enacting this
- 27 chapter.

- 1 (d) The board, on its own motion or on receipt of a petition
- 2 signed by the owner or owners of a majority of the assessed value of
- 3 the real property in the district, may adopt an order dividing the
- 4 <u>district.</u>
- 5 <u>(e) The board may adopt an order dividing the district</u>
- 6 before or after the date the board holds an election under Section
- 7 9074.003 to confirm the district's creation.
- 8 (f) An order dividing the district shall:
- 9 <u>(1) name each new district;</u>
- 10 (2) include the metes and bounds description of the
- 11 territory of each new district;
- 12 (3) appoint temporary directors for each new district;
- 13 <u>and</u>
- 14 (4) provide for the division of assets and liabilities
- 15 between or among the new districts.
- 16 (g) On or before the 30th day after the date of adoption of
- 17 an order dividing the district, the district shall file the order
- 18 with the commission and record the order in the real property
- 19 records of each county in which the district is located.
- 20 (h) Any new district created by the division of the district
- 21 shall hold a confirmation and directors' election as required by
- 22 <u>Section 9074.003.</u>
- (i) Any new district created by the division of the district
- 24 must hold an election as required by this chapter to obtain voter
- 25 approval before the district may impose a maintenance tax or issue
- 26 bonds payable wholly or partly from ad valorem taxes.
- Sec. 9074.107. LIMITATION ON USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN. The

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1 district may not exercise the power of eminent domain outside the
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- district boundaries to acquire a site or easement for:
- 3 (1) a recreational facility, as defined by Section
- 4 49.462, Water Code; or
- 5 (2) a road project authorized by Section 9074.103.
- 6 SUBCHAPTER D. GENERAL FINANCIAL PROVISIONS
- 7 Sec. 9074.151. ELECTIONS REGARDING TAXES OR BONDS. (a) The
- 8 <u>district may issue, without an election, bonds and other</u>
- 9 <u>obligations secured by:</u>
- 10 (1) revenue other than ad valorem taxes; or
- 11 (2) contract payments described by Section 9074.153.
- 12 (b) The district must hold an election in the manner
- 13 provided by Chapters 49 and 51, Water Code, to obtain voter approval
- 14 before the district may impose an ad valorem tax or issue bonds
- 15 payable from ad valorem taxes.
- (c) The district may not issue bonds payable from ad valorem
- 17 taxes to finance a road project unless the issuance is approved by a
- 18 vote of a two-thirds majority of the district voters voting at an
- 19 <u>election held for that purpose.</u>
- 20 Sec. 9074.152. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE TAX. (a) If
- 21 authorized at an election held under Section 9074.151, the district
- 22 may impose an operation and maintenance tax on taxable property in
- 23 the district in accordance with Section 49.107, Water Code.
- (b) The board shall determine the tax rate. The rate may not
- 25 exceed the rate approved at the election.
- Sec. 9074.153. CONTRACT TAXES. (a) In accordance with
- 27 Section 49.108, Water Code, the district may impose a tax other than

- 1 an operation and maintenance tax and use the revenue derived from
- 2 the tax to make payments under a contract after the provisions of
- 3 the contract have been approved by a majority of the district voters
- 4 voting at an election held for that purpose.
- 5 (b) A contract approved by the district voters may contain a
- 6 provision stating that the contract may be modified or amended by
- 7 the board without further voter approval.
- 8 SUBCHAPTER E. BONDS AND OTHER OBLIGATIONS
- 9 Sec. 9074.201. AUTHORITY TO ISSUE BONDS AND OTHER
- 10 OBLIGATIONS. The district may issue bonds or other obligations
- 11 payable wholly or partly from ad valorem taxes, impact fees,
- 12 revenue, contract payments, grants, or other district money, or any
- 13 combination of those sources, to pay for any authorized district
- 14 purpose.
- Sec. 9074.202. TAXES FOR BONDS. At the time the district
- 16 issues bonds payable wholly or partly from ad valorem taxes, the
- 17 board shall provide for the annual imposition of a continuing
- 18 direct ad valorem tax, without limit as to rate or amount, while all
- 19 or part of the bonds are outstanding as required and in the manner
- 20 provided by Section 51.433, Water Code.
- Sec. 9074.203. BONDS FOR ROAD PROJECTS. At the time of
- 22 <u>issuance</u>, the total principal amount of bonds or other obligations
- 23 issued or incurred to finance road projects and payable from ad
- 24 valorem taxes may not exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of the
- 25 <u>real property in the district.</u>
- 26 SECTION 2. The Kendall County Water Control and Improvement
- 27 District No. 4 initially includes all the territory contained in

- 1 the following area:
- 2 Being 151.629 acres of land and being 98.165 acres out of the Miguel
- 3 Garcia Survey No. 213, Abstract No. 197 and 53.198 acres out of the
- 4 Juan Ortiz Survey No. 190, Abstract No. 363, Kendall County, Texas,
- 5 being that same 151.763 acre tract of land as conveyed by deed
- 6 recorded in Volume 1503, Page 560, Official Public Records of
- 7 Kendall County, Texas, Said 151.629 acres of land being more
- 8 particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:
- 9 BEGINNING at a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set in the south right-of-way
- 10 line of State Highway No. 46 (100.00-foot wide right-of-way) at the
- 11 northwest corner of the called 151.763 acre tract, the northeast
- 12 corner of the remaining portion of a called 347.5 acre tract
- 13 recorded in Volume 62 Page 251, Deed Records of Kendall County,
- 14 Texas, said point being the northwest corner of the tract herein
- 15 described;
- 16 THENCE, along the south right-of-way line of State Highway No. 46,
- 17 the north boundary line of the called 151.763 acre tract, the
- 18 following courses and distances:
- 19 North  $83^{\circ}23'20"$  East, a distance of 1805.20 feet (North  $83^{\circ}45$  East, a
- 20 distance of 1805.2 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set
- 21 for point of curvature of a curve to the left;
- 22 Curving to the left with a radius of 1482.34 feet (1482.34
- 23 feet-record), a central angle of  $17^{\circ}07'12"$  ( $17^{\circ}07'$ -record), a chord
- 24 bearing and distance of North  $74^{\circ}49'43''$  East, 441.28 feet, and an
- 25 arc length of 442.93 feet (442.8 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with
- 26 MDS cap set for point of tangency;
- 27 North 66°16'07" East, a distance of 142.67 feet (North 66°51' East, a

- 1 distance of 142.2 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set at
- 2 the northeast corner of the called 151.763 acre tract, the
- 3 northwest corner of the remaining portion of a called 300 acre tract
- 4 recorded in Volume 65, Page 377, Deed Records of Kendall County,
- 5 Texas, said point being the northeast corner of the tract herein
- 6 described;
- 7 THENCE, departing the south right-of-way line of State Highway
- $8\,$  No. 46, along the east boundary line of the called 151.763 acre
- 9 tract, the west boundary line of the remaining portion of the called
- 10 300 acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 11 South 00°38'03" West, a distance of 771.60 feet (South 01°02' West, a
- 12 distance of 771.6 feet- record), to a 4" cedar fence post found for
- 13 angle point;
- 14~ South  $00^{\circ}31'29"$  West, a distance of 441.37~feet , (South  $00^{\circ}55'$  West,
- 15 a distance of 440.2 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 16 for corner;
- 17 North  $89^{\circ}59'11"$  East, a distance of 253.59 feet, (South  $89^{\circ}35'$  East,
- 18 a distance of 252.4 feet record), to a 4" cedar fence post found
- 19 for angle point;
- 20 South 89°55'19" East, a distance of 443.77 feet, (South 89°30' East,
- 21 a distance of 445.4 feet- record), to a 10" cedar fence post found
- 22 for corner;
- 23 South  $00^{\circ}13'00"$  West, a distance of 1959.06 feet, (South  $00^{\circ}37'$  West,
- 24 a distance of 1959.6 feet-record), to a 10" cedar fence post found
- 25 at the southeast corner of the called 151.763 acre tract, the
- 26 southwest corner of the remaining portion of the called 300 acre
- 27 tract, being in the north boundary line of a called 293.6 acre tract

- 1 recorded in Volume 63, Page 209, Deed Records of Kendall County,
- 2 Texas, said point being the southeast corner of the tract herein
- 3 described;
- 4 THENCE, along the south boundary line of the called 151.763 acre
- 5 tract, the north boundary line of the called 293.6 acre tract, the
- 6 following courses and distances:
- 7 North 88°47'20" West, a distance of 431.20 feet, (North 88°20' West,
- 8 a distance of 433.6 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 9 for angle point;
- 10 North 88°42'19" West, a distance of 1219.83 feet, (North 88°24' West,
- 11 a distance of 1218.1 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar found at the
- 12 southwest corner of the called 151.763 acre tract, the northwest
- 13 corner of the called 293.6 acre tract, being in the east boundary
- 14 line of the remaining portion of a called 347.5 acre tract recorded
- 15 in Volume 62, Page 251, Deed Records of Kendall County, Texas, said
- 16 point being the southwest corner of the tract herein described;
- 17 THENCE, along the west boundary line of the called 151.763 acre
- 18 tract, the east boundary line of the remaining portion of the called
- 19 347.5 acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 20 North  $02^{\circ}12'22"$  West, a distance of 60.45 feet, (North  $01^{\circ}56'$  West, a
- 21 distance of 61.1 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found for
- 22 angle point;
- 23 North  $00^{\circ}26'13"$  West, a distance of 160.10 feet, (North  $00^{\circ}04'$  East,
- 24 a distance of 160.2 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 25 for angle point;
- 26 North 15°10'34" East, a distance of 159.00 feet, (North 15°34' East,
- 27 a distance of 159.2 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found

- 1 for corner;
- 2 North 89°33'27" West, a distance of 432.92 feet, (North 89°11' West,
- 3 a distance of 433.9 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar found for corner;
- 4 North 11°27'38" West, a distance of 311.00 feet, (North 11°08' West,
- 5 a distance of 311.0 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar with MOS cap set
- 6 for angle point;
- 7 North 15°40'38" West, a distance of 61.30 feet, (North 15°21' West, a
- 8 distance of 61.3 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar with MOS cap set for
- 9 angle point;
- 10 North  $24^{\circ}30'38"$  West, a distance of 52.70 feet, (North  $24^{\circ}11'$  West, a
- 11 distance of 52.7 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar with MOS cap set for
- 12 angle point;
- 13 North 37°04'09" West, a distance of 277.35 feet, (North 36°34' West,
- 14 a distance of 279.3 feet- record), to a 4" cedar fence post found
- 15 for angle point;
- 16 North 35°05'53" West, a distance of 231.81 feet, (North 34°58' West,
- 17 a distance of 230.6 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 18 for angle point;
- 19 North  $28^{\circ}41'45"$  West, a distance of 287.05 feet, (North  $28^{\circ}15'$  West,
- 20 a distance of 287.1 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 21 for angle point;
- 22 North 27°47'44" West, a distance of 697.77 feet, (North 27°26' West,
- 23 a distance of 697.6 feet- record), to a 10" cedar fence post found
- 24 for angle point;
- 25 North 16°56'28" West, a distance of 168.46 feet, (North 16°55' West,
- 26 a distance of 169.0 feet- record), to a 10" cedar fence post found
- 27 for angle point;

- 1 North 07°27'01" West, a distance of 529.32 feet, (North 06°50' West,
- 2 a distance of 529.2 feet- record), to the POINT OF BEGINNING and
- 3 containing 151.629 acres of land, more or less.
- 4 Being 990.604 acres of land and being:
- 5 Tract 1, a called 347.5 acre tract of land out of the Juan Ortiz
- 6 Survey No. 190, Abstract No. 363, Kendall County, Texas, being that
- 7 same tract conveyed by deed recorded in Volume 62, Page 251, Deed
- 8 Records of Kendall County, Texas; save and except that certain 1.16
- 9 acre tract conveyed by deed to Kendall County for road widening
- 10 purposes recorded in Volume 66, Page 412, Deed Records of the
- 11 Kendall County, Texas;
- 12 Tract 2, a called 300 acre tract of land, being 194 acres out of the
- 13 Miguel Garcia Survey No. 213, Abstract No. 197, 84 acres out of the
- 14 A.M. Holbrook Survey No. 439, Abstract No. 263, and 22 acres out of
- 15 the C. Volk Survey No. 115, Abstract No. 673, Kendall County,
- 16 Texas, and being that same tract conveyed by deed recorded in Volume
- 17 65, Page 377, Deed Records of Kendall County, Texas, Volume 65, Page
- 18 378, Deed Records of Kendall County, Texas, and Volume 65, Page 380, 19 Deed Records of Kendall County, Texas; save and except that certain
- 20 2.24 acre tract conveyed by deed to Kendall County for road widening
- 21 purposes recorded in Volume 66, Page 413, Deed Records of the
- 22 Kendall County, Texas;
- 23 Tract 3, a called 67 acre tract of land out of the Juan Ortiz Survey
- 24 No. 190, Abstract No. 363, Kendall County, Texas, being that same
- 25 tract conveyed by deed recorded in Volume 63, Page 208, Deed Records
- 26 of Kendall County, Texas;
- 27 Tract 4, a called 293.6 acre tract of land, being 383.6 acres out of

- 1 the David Odom Survey No. 212, Abstract No. 371, and 30 acres out of
- 2 the Juan Ortiz Survey No. 190, Abstract 363, Kendall County, Texas,
- 3 and being that same tract described by deed recorded in Volume 63,
- 4 Page 209, Deed Records of Kendall County, Texas, save and except
- 5 that certain 120 acre tract of land recorded in Volume 63, Page 215,
- 6 Deed Records of the Kendall County, Texas;
- 7 Said 990.604 acres of land being more particularly described by
- 8 metes and bounds as follows:
- 9 BEGINNING at a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set in the south right-of-way
- 10 line of State Highway No. 46 (100.00-foot wide right-of-way) at the
- 11 northwest corner of the remaining portion of the called 347.5 acre
- 12 tract, the southwest corner of a called 1.16 acre tract conveyed to
- 13 Kendall County for road widening purposes recorded in Volume 66,
- 14 Page 412, Deed Records of Kendall County, Texas, the northeast 15 corner of a called 8 acre tract recorded in Volume 409, Page 653,
- 16 Official Public Records of Kendall County, Texas, said point being
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- 17 the northwest corner of the tract herein described;
- 18 THENCE, along the south right-of-way line of State Highway No. 46,
- 19 the north boundary line of the remaining portion of the called 347.5
- 20 acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 21 North  $57^{\circ}02'12"$  East, a distance of 1259.87 feet (North  $57^{\circ}24'$  East,
- 22 a distance of 1265.5 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set
- 23 for point of curvature of a curve to the right;
- 24 Curving to the right with a radius of 5679.97 feet (5679.65
- 25 feet-record), a central angle of  $4^{\circ}55'00"$  (04 $^{\circ}55'$ -record), a chord
- 26 bearing and distance of North 59°29'42" East, 487.26 feet, and an
- 27 arc length of 487.41 feet (487.4 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with

- 1 MDS cap set for point of tangency;
- 2 North 61 °57'12" East, a distance of 298.10 feet (North 62°19' East,
- 3 a distance of 298.10 feet-record), to a 1/2' rebar with MDS cap set
- 4 for point of curvature of a curve to the right;
- 5 Curving to the right with a radius of 1382.39 feet (1382.69
- 6 feet-record), a central angle of 21°26'08" (21°24'-record), a chord
- 7 bearing and distance of North 72°40'16" East, 514.17 feet, and an
- 8 arc length of 517.18 feet (516.14 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with
- 9 MDS cap set for point of tangency;
- 10 North  $83^{\circ}23'20"'$  East, a distance of 194.60 feet (North  $83^{\circ}45$
- 11 East-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set at the northeast
- 12 corner of the remaining portion of the called 347.5 acre tract, the
- 13 northwest corner of a called 151.763 acre tract recorded in Volume
- 14 1503, Page 560, Official Public Records of Kendall County, Texas;
- 15 THENCE, departing the south right-of-way line of State Highway
- 16 No. 46, along the east boundary line of the remaining portion of the
- 17 called 347.5 acre tract, the west boundary line of the called.
- $18\quad 151.763$  acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 19 South  $07^{\circ}27'01"$  East, a distance of 529.32 feet, (South  $06^{\circ}50'$  East,
- 20 a distance of 529.2 feet- record), to a 10" cedar fence post found
- 21 for angle point;
- 22 South 16°56'28" East, a distance of 168.46 feet, (South 16°55' East,
- 23 a distance of 169.0 feet- record), to a 10" cedar fence post found
- 24 for angle point;
- 25 South 27°47'44" East, a distance of 697.77 feet, (South 27°26' East a
- 26 distance of 697.6 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found for
- 27 angle point;

- 1 South  $28^{\circ}41'45"$  East, a distance of 287.05 feet, (South  $28^{\circ}15'$  East,
- 2 a distance of 287.1 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 3 for angle point;
- 4 South 35°05'53" East, a distance of 231.81 feet, (South 34°58' East,
- 5 a distance of 230.6- record), to a 4" cedar fence post found for
- 6 angle point;
- 7 South  $37^{\circ}04'09''$  East, a distance of 277.35 feet, (South  $36^{\circ}34'$  East,
- 8 a distance of 279.3 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set
- 9 for angle point;
- 10 South 24°30'38" East, a distance of 52.70 feet, (South 24°11' East, a
- 11 distance of 52.7-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set for angle
- 12 point;
- 13 South 15°40'38" East, a distance of 61.30 feet, (South 15°21' East, a
- 14 distance of 61.3-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set for angle
- 15 point;
- 16 South  $11^{\circ}27'38''$  East, a distance of 311.00 feet, (South  $11^{\circ}08'$  East,
- 17 a distance of 311 .0 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar found for
- 18 corner;
- 19 South  $89^{\circ}33'27"$  East, a distance of 432.92 feet, (South  $89^{\circ}11'$  east,
- 20 a distance of 433.9 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 21 for corner;
- 22 South 15-10'34" West, a distance of 159.00 feet, (South 15-34' West,
- 23 a distance of 159 .2 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 24 for angle point;
- 25 South  $00^{\circ}26'13"$  East, a distance of 160.10 feet, (South  $00^{\circ}04'$  West,
- 26 a distance of 160 .2 feet- record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 27 for angle point;

- 1 South  $02^{\circ}12'22"$  East, a distance of 60.45 feet, (South  $01^{\circ}56'$  East, a
- 2 distance of 61.1 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar found at the
- 3 southwest corner of the called 151.763 acre tract, the northwest
- 4 corner of a called 293.6 acre tract recorded in Volume 63, Page 209,
- 5 Deed Records of Kendall County, Texas;
- 6 THENCE, along the south boundary line of the called 151.763 acre
- 7 tract, the north boundary line of the called 293.6 acre tract, the
- 8 following courses and distances:
- 9 South  $88^{\circ}42'19"$  East, a distance of 1219.83 feet, (South  $88^{\circ}24'$  East,
- 10 a distance of 1218.1 feet record), to a 6" cedar fence post found
- 11 for angle point;
- 12 South 88°47'20" East, a distance of 431.20 feet, (South 88°20' East,
- 13 a distance of 433.6 feet-record), to a 10" cedar fence post found
- 14 at the southeast corner of the called 151.763 acre tract, the
- 15 southwest corner of the remaining portion of the called 300 acre
- 16 tract;
- 17 THENCE, along the east boundary line of the called 151.763 acre
- 18 tract, the west boundary line of the remaining portion of the called
- 19 300 acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 20 North  $00^{\circ}13'00"$  East, a distance of 1959.06 feet, (North  $00^{\circ}37'$  East,
- 21 a distance of 1959 .6 feet-record), to a 10" cedar fence post found
- 22 for corner;
- 23 North  $89^{\circ}55'19"$  West, a distance of 443.77 feet, (North  $89^{\circ}30'$  West,
- 24 a distance of 445.4 feet- record), to a 4" cedar fence post found
- 25 for angle point;
- 26 South  $89^{\circ}59'11''$  West, a distance of 253.59 feet, (North  $89^{\circ}35'$  West,
- 27 a distance of 252.4 feet record), to a 6" cedar fence post found

- 1 for corner;
- 2 North 00°31'29" East, a distance of 441.37 feet, (North 00°55' East,
- 3 a distance of 440.2 feet-record), to a 4" cedar fence post found
- 4 for angle point;
- 5 North  $00^{\circ}38'03"$  East, a distance of 771.60 feet (North  $01^{\circ}02'$  East, a
- 6 distance of 771.6 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set in
- 7 the south right-of-way line of State Highway No. 46 at the
- 8 northeast corner of the called 151.763 acre tract, the northwest
- 9 corner of the remaining portion of the called 300 acre tract;
- 10 THENCE, along the south right-of-way line of State Highway No. 46,
- 11 the north boundary line of the remaining portion of the called 300
- 12 acre tract, North 66°16'07" East, a distance of 3817.90 feet (North
- 13 66°36' East-record), to a W' rebar with MDS cap set at the northeast
- 14 corner of the remaining portion of the called 300 acre tract, the
- 15 southeast corner of a called 2.24 acre tract conveyed to Kendall
- 16 County for road widening purposes recorded in Volume 66, Page 413,
- 17 Deed Records of Kendall County, Texas, the northwest corner of a
- 18 called 8.103 acre tract recorded in Volume 475, Page 778, Deed
- 19 Records of Kendall County, Texas;
- 20 THENCE, departing the south right-of-way line of State Highway
- 21 No. 46, along the east boundary line of the remaining portion of the
- 22 called 300 acre tract, the west boundary line of the called 8.103
- 23 acre tract, the west boundary line of a called 9.000 acre tract
- 24 recorded in Volume 1094, Page 1035, Official Public Records of
- Kendall County, Texas, the west boundary line of a called 5.000 acre
  tract recorded in Volume 488, Page 774, Official Public Records of
- 27 Vandall County House and the cost hourdays line of a called C 000
- 27 Kendall County, Texas, and the west boundary line of a called 6.000

- 1 acre tract recorded in Volume 446, Page 211, Official Public
- 2 Records of Kendall County, Texas, South 00°24'57" West, a distance
- 3 of 1532.05 feet (South  $00^{\circ}27'49"$  West, a distance of 1531.94
- 4 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar found at the southwest corner of the
- 5 called 6.000 acre tract, the northwest corner of a called 97.358
- 6 acre tract recorded in Volume 241, Page 22, Deed Records of Kendall
- 7 County, Texas;
- 8 THENCE, continuing along the east boundary line of the remaining
- 9 portion of the called 300 acre tract, the west boundary line of the
- 10 called 97.358 acre tract, South 00°00'09" East, a distance of 468.01
- 11 feet (South  $00^{\circ}08'45"$  East, a distance of 468.07 feet-record), to a
- 12 1/2" rebar found for angle point;
- 13 THENCE, continuing along the east boundary line of the remaining
- 14 portion of the called 300 acre tract, the west boundary line of the
- 15 called 97.358 acre tract, South  $00^{\circ}24'40"$  West, a distance of
- 16 2771.22 feet (South 00°32'12" East, a distance of 2771.53
- 17 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar found at the southeast corner of the
- 18 remaining portion of the called 300 acre tract, being an angle point
- 19 in the north boundary line of a called 41.91 acre tract recorded in
- 20 Volume 619, Page 173, Official Public Records of Kendall County,
- 21 Texas;
- 22 THENCE, along the south boundary line of the remaining portion of
- 23 the called 300 acre tract, the north boundary line of the called
- 24 41.91 acre tract, North  $89^{\circ}03'39"$  West, a distance of 885.87 feet
- 25 (North  $88^{\circ}56'28"$  West, a distance of 886.60 feet-record), to a 1/2"
- 26 rebar with MDS cap set at the northeast corner of the remaining
- 27 portion of the called 413.6 acre tract, the northwest corner of the

- 1 called 41.91 acre tract;
- $2\,\,$  THENCE, along the east boundary line of the remaining portion of the
- 3 called 413.6 acre tract, the west boundary line of the called 41.91
- 4 acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 5 South 02°28'57" East, a distance of 436.13 feet (South 02°25'58"
- 6 East, a distance of 436.13 feet -record), to a 1/2" rebar found for
- 7 angle point;
- 8 South 02°17'03"' East, a distance of 507.19 feet (South 02°08'19"
- 9 East, a distance of 507.23 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar found for
- 10 angle point;
- 11 South 01°46'53" East, a distance of 738.18 (South 01°39'35" East, a
- 12 distance of 738.36 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar found for an angle
- 13 point;
- 14~ South  $02\,^{\circ}05\,^{\prime}47\,^{\prime\prime}$  East, a distance of 30.48 feet (South  $01\,^{\circ}53\,^{\prime}04\,^{\prime\prime}$  East,
- 15 a distance of 30.45 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar found at the
- 16 southwest corner of the called 41.91 acre tract, the northwest
- 17 corner of a called 17.344 acre tract recorded in Volume 739, Page
- 18 752, Official Public Records of Kendall County, Texas;
- 19 THENCE, continuing along the east boundary line of the remaining
- 20 portion of the called 413.6 acre tract, the west boundary line of
- 21 the called 17.344 acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 22 South 02°02'05" East, a distance of 397.23 feet (South 01°55'32"
- 23 East, a distance of 397.44 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar found for
- 24 angle point;
- 25 South  $03^{\circ}58'20"$  East, a distance of 140.89 feet (South  $03^{\circ}53'00"$
- 26 West, a distance of 140.81 feet-record), to a P.K. nail in rock
- 27 found for an angle point;

- 1 South 04°00'35" East, a distance of 169.12 (South 03°54'08" East, a
- 2 distance of 169.10 feet- record), to a 1/2" rebar found at the
- 3 southwest corner of the called 17.344 acre tract, the northwest
- 4 corner of a called 14.000 acre tract recorded in Volume 739, Page
- 5 752, Official Public Records of Kendall County, Texas;
- 6 THENCE, continuing along the east boundary line of the remaining
- 7 portion of the called 413.6 acre tract, the west boundary line of
- 8 the called 14.000, South 03°59'03" East, a distance of 598.44 feet
- 9 (South 03°54'08" East, a distance of 598.41 feet-record), to a 1/2"  $\,$
- 10 rebar found at the southwest corner of the called 14.000 acre tract,
- 11 the northwest corner of a called 24.757 acre tract recorded in
- 12 Volume 621, Page 168, Official Public Records of Kendall County,
- 13 Texas;
- 14 THENCE, continuing along the east boundary line of the remaining
- 15 portion of the called 413.6 acre tract, the west boundary line of
- 16 the called 24.757, South 04°59'06" East, a distance of 473.65 feet
- 17 (South  $04^{\circ}51'06"$  East, a distance of 473.98 feet-record), to a P.K.
- 18  $\,$  nail found at the southwest corner of the remaining portion of the
- 19 called 413.6 acre tract, the northeast corner of a called 185.416
- 20 acre tract recorded in Volume 292, Page 688, Deed Records of Kendall
- 21 County, Texas;
- 22 THENCE, along the south boundary line of the remaining portion of
- 23 the called 413.6 acre tract, the north boundary line of the called
- 24 185.416 acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 25 North 88°02'17" West, a distance of 378.66 feet (North 88°22'35"
- 26 West, a distance of 378.80 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS
- 27 cap set at the base of a 4" cedar fence post for angle point;

- 1 North  $88^{\circ}19'42"$  West, a distance of 1644.75 feet (North  $88^{\circ}34'35"$
- 2 West, a distance of 1644.90 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS
- 3 cap set at the base of a 4" cedar fence post for angle point;
- 4 North 88°24'29" West, a distance of 1491.14 feet (North 88°39' West,
- 5 a distance of 1490.65 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS cap set
- 6 at the base of a 4" cedar fence post for angle point;
- 7 North 89°08'09" West, a distance of 168.14 feet (North 89°26'50"
- 8 West, a distance of 168.35 feet-record), to a P.K. nail set at the
- 9 base of a 10" cedar fence post for angle point;
- 10 South 29°52'11" West, a distance of 168.26 feet (South 29°43' West, a
- 11 distance of 167.60 feet-record), to a P.K. nail set at the base of a
- 12 8" cedar fence post at the southwest corner of the remaining portion
- 13 of the called 413.6 acre tract, the southeast corner of the
- 14 abovementioned 67 acre tract;
- 15 THENCE, along the south boundary line of the called 67 acre tract,
- 16 the north boundary line of the called 185.416 acre tract, the
- 17 following courses and distances:
- 18 North 89°45'50" West, a distance of 900.15 feet (North 89°58' West, a
- 19 distance of 900.90 feet-record), to a P.K. nail set at the base of
- 20 an 8" cedar fence post for angle point;
- 21 North 89°42'53" West, a distance of 183.99 feet (West, a distance of
- 22 183.95 feet-record), to a P.K. nail set at the base of a 10" cedar
- 23 fence post for angle point;
- 24 North 89°39'40" West, a distance of 322.30 feet (North 89°53'25"
- 25 West, a distance of 322.30 feet-record), to a P.K. nail at the base
- 26 of an 8" cedar fence post for the southwest corner of the called 67
- 27 acre tract;

- 1 THENCE, along the west boundary line of the called 67 acre tract,
- 2 the north boundary line of the called 185.416 acre tract, North
- 3 38°46'33" West, a distance of 1184.25 feet (North 38°57'50" West, a
- 4 distance of 1184.40 feet-record), to a 31" Live Oak tree found for
- 5 angle point, being an exterior corner of the called 185.416 acre
- 6 tract, an exterior corner of a called 185.358 acre tract recorded in
- 7 Volume 1271, Page 43, Official Public Records of Kendall County,
- 8 Texas:
- 9 THENCE, continuing along the west boundary line of the called 67
- 10 acre tract, an east boundary line of the called 185.358 acre tract,
- 11 North  $39^{\circ}44'52"$  West, a distance of 671.46 feet (North  $40^{\circ}04'15"$
- 12 West, a distance of 671.15 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS
- 13 cap set at the base of an 8" cedar fence post for the northwest
- 14 corner of the called 67 acre tract, the northeast corner of the
- 15 called 185.358 acre tract, being in the south boundary line of the
- 16 remaining portion of the abovementioned 347.5 acre tract;
- 17 THENCE, along the south boundary line of the remaining portion of
- 18 the called 347.5 acre tract, the north boundary line of the called
- 19 185.358 acre tract, the following courses and distances:
- 20 South  $89^{\circ}54'46"$  West, a distance of 1050.36 feet (North  $88^{\circ}42'30"$
- 21 West, a distance of 1050.40 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar with MDS
- 22 cap set at the base of a 6" cedar fence post for angle point;
- 23 North  $84^{\circ}35'37"$  West, a distance of 130.05 feet (North  $84^{\circ}45'$  West, a
- 24 distance of 130.55 feet-record), to 12" cedar fence post found at
- 25 the southwest corner of the remaining portion of the called 347.5
- 26 acre tract, the southeast corner of the remaining portion of a
- 27 called 85.656 acre tract recorded in Volume 665, Page 736 Official

- 1 Public Records of Kendall County, Texas;
- 2 THENCE, along the west boundary line of the remaining portion of the
- 3 called 347.5 acre tract, the east boundary line of the called 85.656
- 4 acre tract North  $00^{\circ}09'51"$  West, a distance of 1140.53 feet (North
- 5  $00^{\circ}06'41"$  East, a distance of 1141.24 feet-record), to a 1/2" rebar
- 6 found at the southeast corner of the abovementioned 8 acre tract for
- 7 an angle point;
- 8 THENCE, continuing along the west boundary line of the remaining
- 9 portion of the called 347.5 acre tract, the east boundary line of
- 10 the called 8 acre tract North 00°11'13" West, a distance of 2520.53
- 11 feet North 00"06'41" East, a distance of 2519.34 feet-record), to
- 12 the POINT OF BEGINNING and containing 990.604 acres
- 13 SECTION 3. (a) The legal notice of the intention to
- 14 introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this
- 15 Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a
- 16 copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies,
- 17 officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished
- 18 under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313,
- 19 Government Code.
- 20 (b) The governor, one of the required recipients, has
- 21 submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on
- 22 Environmental Quality.
- 23 (c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed
- 24 its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor, the
- 25 lieutenant governor, and the speaker of the house of
- 26 representatives within the required time.
- 27 (d) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this

- 1 state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect
- 2 to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act are fulfilled
- 3 and accomplished.
- 4 SECTION 4. (a) Section 9074.107, Special District Local
- 5 Laws Code, as added by Section 1 of this Act, takes effect only if
- 6 this Act receives a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to
- 7 each house.
- 8 (b) If this Act does not receive a two-thirds vote of all the
- 9 members elected to each house, Subchapter C, Chapter 9074, Special
- 10 District Local Laws Code, as added by Section 1 of this Act, is
- 11 amended by adding Section 9074.107 to read as follows:
- Sec. 9074.107. NO EMINENT DOMAIN POWER. The district may
- 13 <u>not exercise the power of eminent domain.</u>
- 14 (c) This section is not intended to be an expression of a
- 15 legislative interpretation of the requirements of Section 17(c),
- 16 Article I, Texas Constitution.
- SECTION 5. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 18 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 19 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 20 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 21 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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